

135,000 Trout Being Planted In This Region

Lake, Stream Stockings Are Begun With 80,000 In Boca Lake

One hundred and thirty-five thousand rainbow and eastern brook trout are being planted in this district by the State Fish and Game Commission under the direction of Andy Weaver of the Mt. Shasta hatchery.

The trout are in excellent condition and will average from 10 to 14 to the ounce which means that they are already nearly three inches in length.

The plantings were started last week with 30,000 in Boca and 50,000 are being planted in that reservoir this week, Weaver reported. Other planting reported by Weaver are as follows:

Little Truckee, 35,000 rainbow.
Webber Lake, 20,000 rainbow.
Prosser Creek, 40,000 rainbow.
Cold Stream, 10,000 rainbow.
Sage Hen Creek, 15,000 eastern brook.

Independence Lake, 40,000 rainbow.
Donner Lake, 40,000 eastern brook.
Weaver said that supplementary plantings will also be made in the Truckee River and Donner Creek after Allan Pollitt and his Tahoe Hatchery crews complete the initial local planting.

Weaver said that 125,000 rainbow will be planted in the Yuba River just west of Donner Summit.

County Crews Working On Church Street Repair

The county road crew under the direction of Supervisor H. G. Loehr has started permanent repairs on Church Street, a project which has long been needed and which, when completed, will be a real asset to Truckee's road system.

The thoroughfare is being widened and will be graded and surfaced with a three-inch coat of plant mix.

Loehr said that other streets will be repaired as fast as possible and that all will be spread on all streets later this month or early in September.

Burning Without Permit at Boca Costs Man \$5

Roy K. Mackie of San Jose appeared before Justice of the Peace R. N. Little of Truckee on August 12 and paid a fine of \$5 for having a campfire without a permit at Boca public camp ground August 11.

Mackie was cited by Forest Service Patrolman John Torvinen of Boca for having a fire without a permit and leaving it while sleeping. After hearing both sides of the case, Judge Little concluded that Mackie may not have been asleep in his car and assessed the fine only on the no permit charge.

One of Accused Laundry Burglars Requests Trial

One of the two negroes charged with unlawful entry and theft at Fontana's Laundry here this summer has pleaded guilty and was sentenced to one year in the county jail while the other entered a not guilty plea and his trial date has been set for September 4.

Versal Skillern is serving the jail sentence and George Miller is asking for a trial. Garments valued at more than \$1,000 were recovered by Constable N. F. Dolley.

Truckee, Tahoe Officers Attend Hub City Meet

Judge and Mrs. R. N. Little of Truckee and Constable Harry Johnson of Tahoe City attended the dinner meeting held at Marysville on Saturday evening when justices of the peace and constables of 11 central California counties organized the Justices and Constables Association of Superior California. This is the first organization of its kind in this part of the state.

Johanson was named sergeant at arms of the new association.

Distance Swimming Meet At Tavern Next Sunday

TAHOE CITY—Lake Tahoe distance swimming championships will be determined at a meet to be held at Tahoe Tavern on Sunday, August 18, beginning at 2 P. M. Events include a 500 yard swim for both boys and girls under 16 and 800 yard event for older swimmers, both men and women. In the junior events medals will be awarded while winners of the senior events will receive trophies.

From Sierraville—

Mrs. Ray Yerrington, Mrs. Paul Kofford and Mrs. Dell Johnson of Sierraville were guests of Mrs. Fred Dolley last Thursday at an afternoon luncheon and bridge party. Other recent guests of the Dolleys were Mr. and Mrs. Chris Thompson of Santa Cruz, who were guests at Tahoe Tavern.

Andrew S. Hallidie, a San Francisco manufacturer, invented the cable car.

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Local Telephone Traffic Increases Heavily in July

Local Calls Up 51 Per Cent, Long Distance 41 Over July '45

In a survey of telephone traffic in Truckee, Manager A. P. Leitch of the local Pacific Telephone and Telephone Company, discovered a 51 per cent increase in local calls for July this year compared with the same month last year. A similar comparison of long distance traffic showed a 41 per cent boost.

The survey was based on the "busy hour" for local calls with 971 reported last month to 641 in the same month last year. The long distance survey results were based on an average of calls per day. In July, 1945, there were 297 per day and in July, 1946, 420 calls through the long distance operators.

Leitch also reported a 20 per cent gain in telephones in service since December 31, 1944, to June 30, 1946. At the former date there were 349 subscribers in Truckee while as of June 30 there were 419—a net gain of 70 instruments.

The report showed a 110 per cent increase in the number of operators employed.

Gallerani-Baker Planning Asphalt Plant at Tahoe

NORTH TAHOE—A new asphalt batch plant, to be located in Crystal Bay, will be constructed by the Gallerani-Baker Company of Kings Beach. This new plant will add to this firm's large list of services to home and resort owners. The plant will be the base for the storage and distribution of rock, sand and gravel, used in the construction of roadways, terraces and driveways.

Lee Fiske, superintendent of grading and paving for the firm announced that they have a backlog of orders that would keep them busy for the remainder of the year.

Driver of Wrecked Car Is Sought by Officers

State highway patrolmen are investigating the mysterious disappearance of the occupant of a 1939 Studebaker car which was found demolished on the rocks 40 feet below the highway a mile from Donner Summit, Monday morning. Although evidence revealed someone was badly injured in the crash, there being blood over the seat and upholstery, no sign of the driver can be found and hospitals at Reno have been unsuccessful in shedding any light on the mystery.

Papers in the car indicated that it belongs to C. J. Dowell, 1930 First West Street, Seattle, and wires have been sent to that city to determine if Dowell is missing.

State Patrolman William Gautsche said that thieves have already removed some parts of the wrecked machine.

Donner Family Scion To Attend Centennial

Stanley Houghton, a son of the late Eliza Donner Houghton and grandson of George Donner, one of the leaders of the ill-fated Donner Party, the 100th anniversary of whose tragedy will be observed here September 21 and 22, visited briefly in Truckee this week from his home in Long Beach. Houghton was vitally interested in the forthcoming observance and promises to return for the event and will probably take part in the memorial observance.

Local Justice Court Held On Donner Summit Grade

Justice may be dispensed where it is most convenient but we have never heard of court being held on Donner Summit grade until this week when R. N. Little adjourned a case to the scene of the alleged misdemeanor, following which Mrs. Inez Robie of Auburn was fined \$15 for passing another car without sufficient clearance.

Mrs. Robie contested the opinion of State Patrolman William Gautsche and, armed with tape measures and records, the court went to the scene to take measurements and view the lay of the land.

Oregon achieved statehood February 14, 1859.

: Sun : Beams

By WALTER M. BARRETT

It became quite evident that sportsmen in this district need not fear that violators of the fish and game laws will be dealt with severely if they are brought before Justice of the Peace R. N. Little. The justice earned the commendation of all sportsmen this week when he fined a man \$500 for having portions of a slaughtered doe in his possession. To some this may sound like a lot of money for such an offense, but to those familiar with our diminishing herd of deer and those who realize that our hunting and fishing are our biggest asset in this district it was a well justified punishment. There is no doubt that the doe left a fawn to starve when she was slaughtered. This wanton disregard of our laws must be stopped if we are to continue to enjoy the reputation of an ideal hunting and fishing country. We need more wardens like Bill LaMarr who made the arrest and investigation and more justices like Dick Little who meted out the deserved penalty. Sportsmen then would feel that the money they put out for propagation and protection is well invested and the efforts they make in promoting better hunting conditions are efforts not wasted on a few who have no regard for necessary laws.

We sincerely hope that current rumors that the board of supervisors would not look with favor upon a plan to provide this end of Nevada County with a branch of the county hospital, even though it could be done at little or no expense, are unfounded. The need for a well equipped modern hospital in this section where the population is increasing by leaps and bounds and where thousands each year spend lengthy vacations, cannot be disputed. A committee made up from every civic organization in Truckee, including the American Legion, is studying plans and working to find ways and means to fill the need. If the board of supervisors, through sponsorship, can make this program possible at a minimum cost, we can think of no better way to spend a surplus where it will do most good.

NORTH TAHOE

by MADELINE GALLERANI

Mr. and Mrs. John Breeden of San Francisco are at their home in Incline Beach.

Mrs. Frank Wagner of Kings Beach is in Long Beach with her mother who is seriously ill.

Robert Dennis, local photographer, is now able to be up and around and looks fine after the major operation performed several weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Emilio Lazone of Sacramento spent a few days in Kings Beach.

Olga, Amelia and Edna Piacenti of Sacramento are enjoying a visit at the Riolo Club, Kings Beach.

Mrs. Robert Eddy and her brother Ralph Leighton, motored to Lubbock, Texas, where they visited with friends and their father, T. Leighton, who returned with them to Kings Beach where he will reside.

Mr. and Mrs. William Van Houser of Kings Beach motored to Reno on Saturday to bid Mrs. Van Houser's sister and brother in law, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Welb, goodbye. The Welb family left Monday for a month's visit in Alaska, planning to travel on the Alcan highway.

Mrs. Joe King has as her visitors her mother, Mrs. Olga Mayhew, and her sister, Mrs. Pearl Trickey.

Marshall Z. Lowell of Lowell and Lowell, Auburn attorneys, was a Saturday visitor in Kings Beach.

R. A. Carrington, Jr., publisher of the Los Angeles Examiner, returned to that city on a business trip.

Melvin Guerrero of Reno spent a few days at the home of his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baker in Tahoe Vista.

Mrs. Dick Scofield of Kings Beach is visiting in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Sara A. Ernest, teacher at the Kings Beach elementary school left on Tuesday for a two weeks visit with her daughter in Oregon.

Receives Discharge—

McIntyre Gates, Sic recently discharged from the Navy, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Kearney, F. J. Kearney of Roseville, Mrs. D. McRae of Sacramento and H. F. Clouette of Mill Valley were other guests at the Kearney home.

Doe Slayer Fined \$500

Ed Schnerr of Carpenter's Valley was fined \$500 in the court of Justice of the Peace R. N. Little this week for illegal possession of deer meat. Game Warden Bill LaMarr, who investigated reports of shooting in the valley, said he found Schnerr in possession of the hind quarters of a doe.

The deer season in this district opens on September 23 and then hunting is restricted to one buck per hunter.

Lumber Industry to See Revival Says Chamber

C. Edmunds, manager of the Truckee chamber of commerce, reports this week that lumbering activity will be resumed in this region, probably within 60 days. An eastern syndicate plans first cuttings in Carpenters Valley where there is enough virgin timber available to operate for at least a year.

The timber will be trucked to a mill on east River Street in Truckee where arrangements are being made for construction of the mill. Thirty men will be initially employed with a payroll of 60 expected ultimately.

Survey Being Made On Martis Creek Closing

Brian Curtis, biologist for the state fish and game commission, was visiting this region today making surveys of local streams and dams in the interest of the sportsmen. With Warden Bill LaMarr and Al Bradshaw, president of the Truckee Outdoor Sportsmen, Curtis will determine whether or not it will be wise to close Martis Creek for propagation purposes.

Second Violation Draws Jail, Fine for Wm. Myers

William A. Myers, 35, Truckee truck driver, was sentenced to serve 60 days in the county jail and fined \$100 when he appeared before Justice of the Peace R. N. Little on a charge of violating the county's sobriety ordinance.

A few weeks ago Myers was fined \$50 after he took a horse into a local cafe while intoxicated.

Pioneers' Hardships Told At Meeting of Rotarians

Bishop Noel Porter of Sacramento spoke before the Rotary Club Monday night, giving a review of some of the hardships suffered by the early pioneers coming to California. Eric Gram was program chairman and Jack Wolert presided. The next meeting will be held at the Episcopal Outdoor Chapel at Tahoe Sunday when H. J. Kaiser will be the speaker. No meeting will be held Monday.

Roland Calloway, ski tow operator at Donner Summit, was inducted as a new member. Guests included Fred Baker, Kings Beach, and Judge Francis Cochran of Los Angeles. There were 16 visiting Rotarians from various cities.

Plans Are Set for Dance By IOOF on August 31

Preparations are nearing completion for the Odd Fellows dance to be held at the Veterans Memorial Building, Saturday, August 31. The usual admission charge of \$1 plus tax with ladies free will be charged. A six piece orchestra is being engaged for the event and everyone is urged to attend and have a good time. The committee comprises Jerry Stacy, chairman, Bill Waters and August Esola.

Snider Presides at Meet Of Hospital Group Here

H. I. Snider presided at the meeting of the Truckee Hospital Committee held at the office of R. N. Little Tuesday night. The committee, comprising members of all local civic organizations, decided to continue the study of the possibilities of getting a hospital for this area. It is hoped that state funds can be secured for the project.

Guest of Mahnes—

Andrew Mahne of San Francisco has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Mahne during the past week.

Donner Salmon In Fine Shape Pollitt Reports

Delayed Shipment Blamed For Lack of More Information

Allan F. Pollitt, supervisor of the Tahoe Fish and Game Hatcheries, this issued a report on the progress of the Kokanee (sockeye) salmon which were introduced into Donner Lake and which have made very good progress.

"One very good specimen was turned in to me to be analyzed as to maturity, growth rate, feeding habits and any other feature that might appear late last month," Pollitt said. "This specimen was carefully frozen, packed in dry ice and shipped to San Francisco laboratory for examination."

"It is with regret that I was informed that the specimen was delayed several days in transit and upon reaching San Francisco had become so badly decomposed that no examination could be made. I can assure you, however, that judging from the time of the first planting made in Donner Lake and taking into consideration the short growing season, this specimen had done better than was anticipated and my greatest hope is that specimens of this nature appear abundantly in fishermen's creels during the remainder of this season and all of next to give the type of return we hope for."

"Reports of future catches will be appreciated," Pollitt concluded.

State Court Judge Speaks At Lions on Wednesday

Paul Peek, associate justice of the third appellate court, spoke before the Lions club last night giving a review of the history of laws in California and how the pioneer courts functioned.

Guests were James Hilty, Dick Bradshaw and Frank Titus of Truckee; Ralph Williams of Lincoln, and Perry Flicker of North Sacramento.

The club's faithful waitress, Edith Pfandler, was presented with a bouquet of roses on the occasion of her birthday.

No Applicants for Post As Deputy Sheriff Here

Sheriff Carl Toblissen, who visited in Truckee Tuesday, said that to date he has received no applications for the position of full time deputy sheriff in Truckee, a job which pays a salary of \$195 a month. Unless local application is made before the deadline of September 2, Toblissen said he would send one of his present deputies to Truckee to work until a local man could be employed.

Woodland Scouts Meeting At Chambers' This Week

Those desiring to learn how a Boy Scout troop operates are cordially invited to visit the site of Woodland Troop No. 69, B.S.A., at Chambers Lodge on Lake Tahoe where each night the boys stage a camp fire program which is well worth the trip to see. Visitors are not only welcome but needed. The boys at the camp are under the leadership of Scoutmaster Peter Daugherty of Woodland.

Labor Day Rodeo Slated At Calpine by Bagley

C. L. Bagley of Calpine was in Truckee yesterday and announced that a rodeo would be held at the Calpine Resort on Labor Day, September 2, at which time there will be a full program of events. Included will be bronco riding, calf roping, bull riding and team roping along with other "jackpot" events. Entries must be made prior to the night of September 1, Bagley said.

There is plenty of camping space and everyone is urged to attend and enjoy the events and program.

Married—

Bernice Ina Coats, 37, of Truckee and Frank Winters, 39, of Denver, obtained a marriage license in Nevada last week end.

Birthdate—

Harold Langille observed his birthdate on Wednesday, August 14.

In Nanking Command—

Major Colin Campbell is now located in the Nanking, China, headquarters command.

Seven Injured In Car Wrecks Last Weekend

Bridal Party Is Halted By Crash Near Cisco Sunday

Seven people were injured, six of them seriously, in three automobile accidents in this district during the weekend.

Most seriously injured was Joyce M. Hart, 18, Beverly Booth, 24, and Robert Cramblitt, 21, all of Auburn, who were riding in a car driven by Terry Radecliff, 19, of Auburn Sunday morning at 3 AM when the car got out of control near Cisco and overturned.

State Patrolman William Gautsche said Radecliff and Miss Booth were en route to Reno to be married. All were taken to the Auburn hospital in serious condition. The driver escaped with minor injuries.

When a station wagon driven by Mildred Cowgill, 18, overturned on the Truckee-Tahoe highway last Thursday, the driver and Thomas Barkan, 18, both members of prominent San Francisco families, suffered serious head injuries and were rushed to a bay city hospital. State Patrolman K. C. Kolb investigated.

Doyle C. Barnett, 23, and Ruby Seales, 29, both of Kings Beach suffered serious injuries when the car driven by the former got out of control at the intersection of a street and the highway in Kings Beach and crashed into a car driven by Mrs. Mabel Marriotti, 41, Kings Beach, who escaped serious injuries.

The Barnett car also struck one owned by T. A. Lentz which was parked in a driveway. Barnett was cited for driving without due caution by State Patrolman T. F. Sheehan.

Louis Peterson of Dixon was cited for driving without due caution after the trailer of a large truck he was driving ran out of control for 400 feet on the wrong side of the highway near Donner Summit and then was demolished on the rocks. Peterson was not hurt. State Patrolman Gautsche said.

Pair Draws Heavy Fines For Defrauding Tourists

Two men, David E. Hineman and Mitchell Kalin, both of Los Angeles, who have been operating a "free zoo" near Hirschdale bridge for the past few weeks, were arrested by Department of Justice Agents J. H. McClellan and W. H. White, assisted by Deputy Sheriff N. F. Dolley yesterday and charged with petty theft through trick and device.

Taken before Justice of Peace R. N. Little, the men pleaded guilty to the charges and were fined \$500 each and sentenced to serve 30 days in the county jail.

McClellan said the men operated a fraud device at the "zoo" and bilked passing motorists out of large sums of money through their manipulations.

The men contended that their "boss" was in Los Angeles and that they were only employees. The officers believe that similar rackets are being operated as a chain in the state.

Owner of Sierra Tavern Reports Suitcase Theft

Constable N. F. Dolley Tuesday night was asked to investigate the theft of a suitcase filled with clothing and other personal effects belonging to George Elwell, owner of Sierra Tavern. The case was stolen from Elwell's car which had been left parked. No arrest has been made.

Home Demonstration Project Is Under Study

Wm. H. Brooks, county farm advisor, arranged for a group of women from other districts in Nevada County to meet with a group in this vicinity to discuss the possibility of obtaining a county home demonstration agent.

A meeting was called on July 31 at the Wyethia Club house by the president, Mrs. W. C. Gage. Those who accompanied Brooks were Mesdames Bernice Pingree, Mabel Smith, Rebecca Alderman, Hill and Brooks. Mrs. Pingree presided at the informal meeting and explained the advantages of a home demonstration agent in the county.

Mrs. Gage reported to the club at their regular meeting August 1st on the meeting and Mrs. Wm. Gautsche was appointed chairman for the community to arrange further plans. The tea hostesses at the last meeting were Mrs. Clara Ocker and Mrs. Wm. Englehart, Jr.

Mrs. Rae Ribler, state chairman of literature, will present a book review on "Farmer Takes a Wife" at the meeting on August 15th.

To Roseville—

The Earl Johnson family moved to their Roseville home this week.

On Vacation—

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hansen and son plan to leave for Oregon Friday on a vacation. They will visit Mrs. Hansen's parents in Ukiah as they return.

Jean Pierre Blanchard and Dr. John Jeffries of Boston made the first successful voyage by balloon across the English Channel on January 7, 1783.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
In the Matter of the Estate of WILLIAM BOETTCHER, also known as WILLIAM BOETTCHER, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned Theodore A. Kohler, Jr., as administrator of the estate of William Boettcher, deceased, to the Creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to file them with the necessary vouchers within six months after the first publication of this notice in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada, or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers within six months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator at the law offices of Wm. J. Cassettari, 208 1/2 West Main Street, Grass Valley, California, the same being the place of business in all matters connected with the estate of said William Boettcher, also known as William Boettcher, Deceased.

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Norse Castle at Lake Tahoe Is Offered For Sale by Executor

The palatial Lake Tahoe home of the late Mrs. Lora Knight, who financed the trans Atlantic flight of Charles Lindbergh in the Spirit of St. Louis, has been placed on the market.

The estate covers approximately 200 acres and contains a baronial castle erected after thousands of dollars had been spent in studies of famous European castles. It also contains Fannette Island, located in the center of Emerald Bay, which is opposite the castle.

Kenneth Thomas, executor of the estate, says that it has been appraised at approximately \$225,000.

Died Last Year

Mrs. Knight died in June, 1945, and left an estate valued at several million dollars, including the Lake Tahoe property. She was the widow of Hobart Moore, noted corporation attorney of many years ago, and later married Harry Knight, St. Louis.

UTAH WILL MARK DONNER PARTY'S CENTENNIAL SOON

Utah this year will hold special Centennial observances of the Reed-Donner Party, according to John D. Giles, executive secretary of the This Is The Place Monument Commission of Salt Lake.

"We have been planning something for this event for the past year," Giles said, "as the Donners figured in Utah history in a rather definite way. Our tentative plans call for special observance during Utah State Fair, upon the site of which the Donners spent three weeks in September, 1846, recuperating their cattle and preparing for their dash across the desert. At the State Fair grounds there is a granite and bronze marker on the Old Donner Trail.

"Near the mouth of Emigration Canyon, through which the Mormon Pioneers entered Salt Lake Valley, July 24, 1847, there is an important hill which figured in the Donner passage through this country. To avoid taking the time to complete a road, they hitched eight yoke of oxen to each wagon and with the help of all the man power of the company, took the wagons up a remarkably steep hill, which is known locally as Donner Hill. We plan to hold exercises at both Donner Hill and at the State Fair Grounds."

The dates of the Utah State Fair are September 16 to 21. The services at Donner Hill will be held during that week, according to Giles.

The State of Utah is building a highway paralleling the Old Donner Trail, which was also the Mormon Pioneer Trail a year later. The entire area of 36 miles is included in This Is The Place State Park, proclaimed as such by the governor of Utah on July 24.

COURT RECESSES

The Nevada County superior court has adjourned until September 6 for its regular summer recess. Not only does the recess give Judge George L. Jones a vacation but gives all the attorneys of the county and the court officials a chance for vacation.

Engle Voted For Fund For New Post Offices

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Tahoe Yacht Club Races Scheduled on August 25

CHAMBERS LODGE— It was a small but enthusiastic group of members who gathered for the annual business meeting and dinner of the Tahoe Yacht Club at Chambers' on Saturday at 12:30 P.M. Resuming activity following the discontinuance of racing during the war, the plotters of a future course which spells fun and entertainment ahead for both members of the club and the spectators who have a special liking for racing. Commodore Frank Fuller sat at the head of the table and conducted the meeting, which followed a delectable turkey dinner.

It was decided that members this year will not be limited to boat owners only but property owners also may join. Entry fees have been lowered and a drive for new members is now under way.

The program for the races on Sunday, August 25, at Chambers' Lodge, will run as follows:

100 HP and under, displacement boats with stock hulls; 165 HP and under, hydroplane displacements, free for all; 27 foot, or longer, boats under 325 HP; championship race, boats limited to 1750 cubic inches, open to non-members; Tahoe's famous bang and go-back race; the handicap race, to be figured at last minute; the relay race, two men riding each boat.

Certain requirements were stated for racers: All must wear life preservers; all races will be three laps; lap time over the 1.45 miles triangular course in front of Chambers' being 3 min. 34 sec. This course was measured by the Captain Kidd and is officially correct. No professional driver can operate a boat in the race but he may ride as a passenger or mechanic. No sirens to be sounded at any time, according to Dave Chambers, who states is strictly against the rules of the Coast Guard. Sirens should be blown only in case of distress. Chambers' boat will carry a full line of first aid equipment and pick up boats will be standing by ready for

action. Drivers of boats must be owners or members of the family. It is not necessary to register a boat beforehand but the committee will appreciate racing entries in advance. The white flag starts a race, yellow flag calls a boat back, checkered flag stops a boat and a green flag indicates the last lap.

Club members were informed by Brooks Walker that the privileges the club used to enjoy on the Sidney Ehrman beach property near the light house have been rescinded because of high water. The beach has disappeared there and if fires for picnics were made today they would have to be built in the timber, which is out of the question. So until the lake level drops, picnics are off at the Ehrman beach. Plans were advanced for obtaining wharf and picnic privileges either on the Whittell estate or at Rubicon Public Park near Emerald Bay.

It was urged that all persons keep a lookout on the lake for persons in distress. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mein recently drifted for hours before being picked up because they had no distress signal device. All persons sighting such distress signals should report them at once to any boat operator who could be sent to their assistance.

Election of new officers found the following in charge for the season ahead after the races August 25: Brooks Walker, commodore; Stanley Dollar, Jr., vice commodore; Henry Kaiser, Jr., rear commodore; Jim McClatchy, port captain; Edwin Letts Oliver, secretary-treasurer. The retiring officers are Frank Fuller, commodore; Martha King, vice commodore, and Stanley Dollar, rear commodore. There was no secretary due to inactivity of the club.

Those present at the meeting and dinner included, besides those already named, J. Carroll Skinner, Ken Scott, Hall Ross, Ralph F. Walker, Jake Obexer, Herb Obexer, Fred Main, Everett Mills, Frank Fuller, Mrs. Virginia Ryan and Mrs. Eleanor Swanson.

Chambers has served as official starter for the races ever since the inception of the Tahoe Yacht Club in 1924 and he still holds his post. A total of 56 members are now listed on the club's list but the club aims to triple the number before the end of the season. Anyone owning a boat or property at Tahoe is eligible.

SEVENTY PUPILS

Grammar grades were resumed for the fall term on Monday morning with 70 pupils answering roll call. Thirty five were enrolled in the grammar grades and 35 were registered in Mrs. Archie Scott's primary grades at Tahoe Lake School.

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SUPPORT OF TAHOE FIRE PROTECTION GROUP IS GOOD

TAHOE CITY— Fire Patrolman Fred White of the public camp grounds ranger station this week announces that contributions to the Lake Tahoe Fire Protective Association are coming in daily. He is most appreciative for the generous co-operation being displayed by local citizenry, who each year donate to this worthy cause.

He explains that the money thus collected is spent only for protection of the lake district from fire and for fire prevention, for upkeep of equipment, and purchase of new and needed equipment, and a part of the patrol man's salary.

Only two small fires were reported last week. One occurred August 9 when a small brush fire started between Dr. R. C. Ryan's property and the beach at Lake Forest. White was called and extinguished it quickly. The second was put out by State Line lookout, Willis Hall, who on the 10th was called to attend a small fire on a back road near Brockway. Thoughtful motorists and neighbors prevented serious fires by reporting them promptly and their service is heartily appreciated by the forest service.

Barbara Woolley Marks 16th Birthday at Party

TAHOE CITY— Miss Barbara Woolley, daughter of Mrs. Albert Boge, and granddaughter of the E. H. Pomins of Tahoe Park on August 9th turned 16, so on the following day, Saturday, a party was given in her honor. A beach party, with wicker roast, salad and watermelon preceded an evening of dancing at Meeks Bay. After the dance the group returned to the Pomins home for birthday cake and ice cream and games. Among those present were the Misses Beverly Boge, Shirley Preston, Bette Wheat, Betty Renner and Jacqueline Walker; and Pete Ables, Don Prusso, Dick Poole and Don Jackson.

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War Memorial Rites Sunday At Chapel

TAHOE CITY— Bishop Noel Porter of the Episcopal Outdoor Chapel will officiate at a dedication of a war memorial wall to be held on Sunday, August 18, at 11 A.M. All are cordially invited to attend. There is seating capacity for 400 and auxiliary seating arrangements are being made.

Henry Kaiser, the industrialist, will be the guest speaker of the day and his subject will be "If the Master Walked Again on Earth." Organist for the occasion will be Mrs. Elizabeth Woods of Berkeley, who will

furnish the selections to be heard over the Hammond electric organ, with its echo organ in the trees and the silvery chimes. Norman Kelch of Pasadena will be soloist. Songs include Onward Christian Soldiers, America, and the National Anthem. The favorite hymn of the Outdoor Chapel congregation, Midst the Beauty of the Trees, will be heard; and the recessional hymn will be Oh, God, Our Help in Ages Past.

The Truckee-Tahoe Rotary Club will attend in a body and all service personnel, past and present, are urged to be present.

The list which Bishop Porter has been compiling over the war years has more than 260 names of service men and women, including 20 gold stars. When all the names are fully corrected they will be published in a booklet with a program of the dedication rites. The memorial wall runs for approximately 550 feet along the chapel property on the highway. The list of honored on the roll will be framed appropriately and hung inside on the chapel walls.

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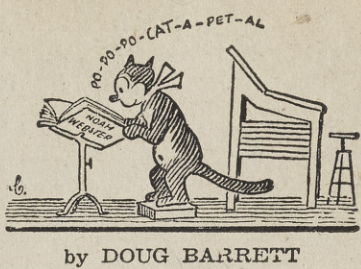
Based on the question, If a presidential election were being held today, which party would you vote for? the poll showed the Democratic party held a minority of 49 per cent. The poll reports that among independent voters, the Democrats have lost 11 per cent since 1944.

Inductions Resumed

The drafting of California men between the ages of 19 and 23 for military service will be resumed at once, ending an induction holiday authorized by congress. Col. Kenneth Leitch, state selective service director, said a call has been issued for the examination of 7500 men who have reached their 19th year but have not reached their 30th year.

He said the state's quota for September will be 2500 with a higher quota expected for October. The length of induction service is limited to 18 months.

MY PLACE in the SUN



by DOUG BARRETT

AROUND TOWN: Judge Dick Little hunting and pecking on his typewriter in the absence of his secretary...they tell me that the final touches are being put on Crandall and Carter's Hill Top apartments... Sydney Houghton, grandson of Geo. Donner, was in town from Long Beach tracing the Alder Creek camp site of the Donners... Paul Kidwell's Lincolnshire beard a bit dusty from his doing road work... Guy Peeples and Dick Joseph in a sidewalk conference in front of Sierra Tavern... after a thorough house cleaning, Jack Crist has reopened the Nevada Hotel... that army tent Fosten Wilson pitched next to the Bargain Spot really stirs up memories... Max McGinn is getting a grey hair or two over the help problem at Loynd's Kings Beach store... Sheriff Carl J. Tobiasen's big golden badge really catches the sunlight... Nat and Alice Quilici bound for dinner at the California after a hard day at the laundry.

Dave Chambers of Lake Tahoe was in the office yesterday and told us he had a group of Woodland Boy Scouts encamped at his lodge. It was pointed out that the lads really have something worth seeing up there and

Ruth Zimmerman to Wed August 26th in Bay City

TAHOE CITY: Friends of the Rudolph Zimmermans of Tahoe Park are this week learning of the coming nuptials of Miss Ruth Zimmerman on August 26 in San Francisco. The wedding will be held in St. Peter's Episcopal Church in the presence of relatives and friends. Miss Zimmerman's fiancé is James C. Hale of Kansas, former naval lieutenant. Mrs. Zimmerman and her daughter are now in San Francisco completing plans for the marriage.

TAHOE BRIEFS

Mrs. John Reedy and Miss Ann McDonad left Tahoe for their San Francisco home Sunday. They plan to return with friends for a weekend on August 24.

Victor David of Sacramento was a visitor at the A. M. Henry home in Tahoe City last week. Now visiting is Mrs. Celeste Daniels of Las Vegas. Mrs. Henry's sister, who plans to vacation for a month. Over the weekend David Donaldson and party of friends were guests of the Henrys.

it's a cinch their work is worthy of all the encouragement and support it can get. Perhaps I'm prejudiced, being an alumnus of the Boy Scouts—the Woodland Boy Scouts, in fact—but I feel that that organization is the greatest builder of good citizens this or any other nation has ever had. Chambers has consistently lent his support, time and facilities to the movement and I think for that, if for nothing else, he deserves the plaudits of all who have an eye to the future welfare of our communities, state and nation.

RESULTS OF AUGUST 11 SWIMMING AND DIVING CHAMPIONSHIP AT TAHOE TAVERN:

Boys 25 Yard Free Style: Robert Davis, 1st; Robert King, 2nd; Curt Brown, 3rd. Time 16.4 seconds.

Girls 25 yard free style: Violet Dutton, 1st; Bobbie Purvis, 2nd; Vale Asche, 3rd. Time 17 seconds.

Boys 50 yard free style: Harry Caldwell, 1st; Dyle Rosche, 2nd; Robert Wykoff, 3rd. Time 31.8 seconds.

Girls 50 yard free style: Lynette Torone, 1st; Dorothy Stork, 2nd; Ramona Robertson, 3rd. Time 33.6 sec.

Boys diving: Robert King, 1st; Bill Stagler, 2nd; Tex Asche, 3rd.

Girls diving, won by Larie Elliott.

Mens 50 yard free style: Bob Solinski, 1st; Jack Chappel, 2nd; William Wright, 3rd. Time 26 seconds.

Womens 50 yard free style: Ann

Owen, 1st; Priscilla Robb, 2nd; Clara Appe, 3rd. Time 35 seconds.

Mens diving: Don Horn, 1st; Alex Crouckevoit, 2nd; Lou Miller, 3rd. Tie between Horn and Crouckevoit.

Womens diving: Priscilla Robb, 1st; Polly Draheim, 2nd.

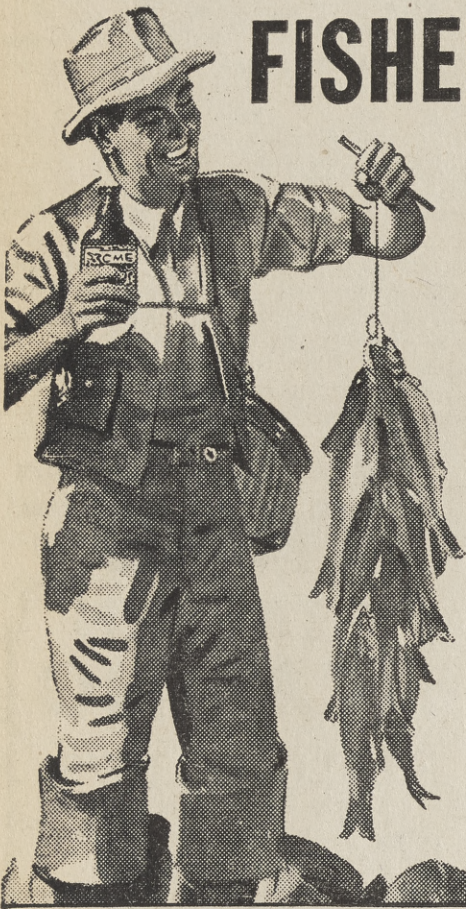
Mens 200 yard relay: Tahoe Tavern, Don Horn, Bob Solinski, Ed Wilson, Wm. Wright, 1st; Bijou, 2nd; Brockway Hotel, 3rd.

Sportsmanship trophies: Anzel Adanson, Arthur Murray, James Pratt.

Medals and ribbons were awarded winners.

Mrs. Goldie Satehr and daughter, Nancy, are spending a week at their home in Auburn. They will return to their Homewood home soon.

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Any person desiring to appear for or against any of the allotments as set out in said budget is invited to attend said meeting of the Board and discuss the same before final approval of the said budget which must be made on or before August 30th, 1946.

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TAHOE BRIEFS

Guests of Dr. and Mrs. Lee Hand at their home in Timberland are Mr. and Mrs. Paul Morin of Burlingame and their children, Tony and Alice. Dr. and Mrs. Frank Hand have also been visiting this week with their daughters, Carolyn and Laurie. Arriving Saturday for a fortnight visit is Mrs. Eva Murphy of San Francisco. Herb Caen, San Francisco columnist, is reported visiting in the Tahoe area.

Recent guests at the home of the Johnnie Maderos in Lake Forest were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bacchi, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Parino and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jenovino, all of Sacramento.

Little Barbara Jo Maderos last week celebrated her 8th birthday with a party. Guests included Walter and Valerie Mandeville and Bobbie Huega. She received lovely gifts following games and refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Moore are spending the summer in the Brockway region. Mrs. Moore is the former Mrs. Mable Tyler of Lake Forest.

Among guests who enjoyed the hospitality of the C. B. Rookwoods at their Homewood home over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. George Monroe and son Dick and Mr. and Mrs. Al Rhorer and children. All are from Vallejo.

On Saturday the William Bosens of Tahoe City entertained Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Hanson of Placerville.

Leo Downing spent the weekend at the home of his brother, Richard, in Reno.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bosen have moved to their new home in Alhambra. They left Tahoe on Thursday last.

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Sholand spent Saturday in Reno on business.

Beach Party Honors 8th Birthday of D. Mahurin

TAHOE CITY—Douglas Mahurin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mahurin of Tahoe City, on August 6 was six years old. The occasion was marked by a beach party, guests arriving in swimming togs for a round of games on the beach. While the youngsters enjoyed themselves, Mrs. Jean Henry took 50 feet of movies of them.

Guests included Mrs. Nace Firpo and three children, John, Vickie and Stefanie; Mrs. June Mandeville and children, Skipper and Valerie; Mrs. Henry and children, Gary and Karen; Mrs. Virginia Alberts and children, Mary, Cathy and Ben, and Mrs. John Pingree and son, Skipper.

Mrs. Gerda Kvistberg writes that she is expecting her seagoing husband Capt. John Kvistberg back from a run to Honolulu this week. She is remaining at their Burlingame home but plans to vacation at their Tahoe residence later this fall.

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Tahoe Letter

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August 12, 1946

Dear Tahoeites—

Am writing you this week on Monday, as the weather still holds good, although today was not as clear as yesterday. I'm informed there are several bad brush fires in the lower levels and the wind brings the smoke drifting over the mountains where it clings close to the water. On Saturday the sky was decidedly hazy and many declared they

could smell the smoke. Hope it stays at a good safe distance, as this would be a most inopportune moment for Tahoe to have a forest fire, with the timber and brush in its present arid condition.

Two well known Tahoe ladies are undergoing medical treatment at this time, unfortunately. Mrs. Phila Chambers, wife of the local resort owner, Dave Chambers, is making a satisfactory recovery, thanks to penicillin and the excellent care of two nurses, her husband and the expert administration of her physician, Dr. C. B. Pedersen, from a siege of pneumonia. For a time her condition was serious but on Sunday the miracle drug began to give evidence of its marvelous powers, and now she is on the up-grade once more. Only a few days ago the cast was removed from a

broken arm, received about a month ago in a fall. Her many friends are sincerely wishing her a speedy and complete recovery. The other feminine resident needing the services of a doctor was Mrs. Norman Mayfield of Tahoe City, who on Saturday evening slipped on the step of her home and fell, receiving bruises and a broken wrist. Dr. Pedersen attended her. She has gone to Sacramento to remain for an indefinite period and her friends wish her speedy recovery.

Had a grand day in Reno last Thursday where our party had dinner at the popular Colombo Cafe. Especially noted one act on the floor show featuring a male singer, Frank Malo, who gave a pleasing rendition of Serrento for a full house. He is the perfect counterpart of Kate Smith, as his voice is full and he has never taken a lesson in his life, so he informed me. Hope some radio station offers him a program, as his singing would be welcome listening and outstanding singers do not happen along every day.

Have a letter this week from J. C. Spencer of the state auto association who informs me that my request for marked crosswalks in Tahoe City, to avoid further accidents, has been along to the proper state authorities with a request from the association that consideration be given our problem.

Tahoe Tavern's Harry Pierson put on a most entertaining show on Sunday ast for a large crowd which gathered to watch the swimming and diving championship meet. It was a beautiful day and the program was carried out without a hitch. Many fine compliments were tendered Mr. Pierson who spent long hours perfecting the day's exhibition.

Mrs. Elizabeth Walker who is again at home at her lovely Truckee River setate continues daily to attempt the task of learning again to walk. In bed for nine months, just being able to be about on her crutches and leaning a little more weight each day on that pampered leg is giving her real pleasure. With care and patience, she will again be walking in the not too distant future, much to the delight of her many friends and relatives who have admired her pluck and

courage through all the long weary months of recuperation. Recent visitors at her home were her nephew, William A. McDonald, superintendent of Von Markets in southern California, who was accompanied by his wife and daughter, JoAnn. The trio remained for a cheery two weeks.

Just about this time Mrs. Walker's neighbor, Liesel Myers, who is caretaker at the Luhrs' estate next door, had an experience which was not exactly enjoyable. Hearing an unusual noise in the night, Liesel arose and looked from the window. Something was disturbing her garbage cans, in fact turning them upside down. Grabbing her flashlight she turned it into the darkness below to find a huge bear fishing into the cans for food. She didn't have a chance to watch him long however, as he gave her one long wicked growl and stalked off up the hill into the night.

The Eric Druhn had a letter last week from Charlie Arment, formerly of the Tahoe Public Campgrounds forest service, stationed near Yreka

now but who was working at the time he wrote at Orelans, Calif. His wife and little daughter, Jackie, were down in the bay region visiting with members of her family, as Chuck does quite a bit of traveling on his new job. At present he is making an inspection tour of all the stations in his area, which takes in a lot of country. He is enjoying his duties, one especially to his liking being the number of hours he is putting in via plane on fire reconnaissance, smoke jumper reconnaissance and the dropping of supplies and cargo to fire fighters on duty. A fire then burning in the Salmon Trinity Alps country was being brought under control promptly because three men were dropped from a plane that morning and put right to work and smoke jumpers were on the job within two hours time. Had it not been for the plane it would have taken nine hours for the men to make the trip in by trail, thereby giving the fire a good headstart. He's longing for a vacation at the lake again and sends along best wishes to all their old friends here.

Had a nice visit from my old friend, Mrs. Ernest Hoerdler of Tahoe City this morning, who was accompanied by her little daughter Marie Ann, who is no longer so very little. The Hoerdlers are pretty proud of having become grandparents six months ago, when daughter Pat, married to former Sgt. Stanley Geddis, who just returned from service in the ar corps at Guam, presented the family with an adorable little son. He is Peter Allan and now tips the scales at 17 pounds. They are making their home at Covina, where they have just purchased grandfather's duplex. Ernie Hoerdler has finally heard from his brothers and sisters for the first time in seven years. They lived in Czechoslovakia at the time Hitler and his hordes invaded that part of the country and remained there all through the war and under Russian occupation. They are now in the American zone in Germany, where they are finding life not too hard and they do not complain. Ernie's 15 year old niece, Elizabeth Hoerdler, was the one who wrote the welcome letter to America, and the one thing of which she is proudest today is that she still has in her possession a beautiful Shirley Temple doll which the Hoerdlers had sent her for Christmas from America. Now that contact has again been established the Hoerdlers hope to send boxes of clothing and food and assist in any way possible the relatives they believed lost.

Another member of the Hoerdlers' family who is making history today

is their nephew, Howard B. Austin, 28, whose home is in Exeter, Calif. Young though he may be in years, he holds a most responsible position as a scientist, in charge of electronics for the atom bomb operations at Bikini. He was on the spot for both blasts and his technical knowledge made a material contribution to the success of the experiments. Because of his eyes, he was rejected by the army but the University of California, where he graduated from the engineering department, realized his worth and tapped him on the shoulder one bright morning and ordered him to Oak Ridge, Tenn., where he spent three long years locked up with the other scientists who were studying the secrets of atomic energy. Prior to this he installed all the signal corps radio towers in California and Oregon, working as a civilian employee of the army. The Hoerdlers will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Allen Austin and three children, Janet, Wallace and Billie, of Montebello this week at their home in Tahoe.

Had a most unexpected pleasure recently when I went shopping in Truckee, on meeting an old time Tahoeite, who with her family lived at the Squirrel House here, leaving 11 years ago. She was the former Mary Crone, now Mrs. Tom Pierce of Banning, mother of two sons, Charles and Dick. In company with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Helwig and their two children, Barbara and William, of Riverside, they were camping at Sardine Lakes and having a marvelous time. Mrs. Ethel Crone, her mother, was visiting with Mrs. Elizabeth Bavier of Truckee. And Sister Sarah is now Mrs. Glenn Stuver of Santa Ana, whose husband served during the war as engineer on a PT boat which saw service all over the outh Pacific.

And good news came again last week for Eric Druhn of Sunnyside, when he learned from relatives in Germany that his brother, who whereabouts have remained unknown for several years, has at last been located and is alive. No details were available only that his mother had been informed her son was alive. More news is eagerly being awaited.

Hope there will be a large attendance at the dedication of the rock wall in honor of the boys and girls of the Tahoe region who served their country, at the Episcopal Outdoor

Chapel on Sunday next, August 18, and especially it is hoped that the boys and girls in and out of service, will be present. Bishop Noel Porter will officiate, Henry Kaiser will be guest speaker and the service will be most impressive.

Before closing, want to congratulate a Truckee writer who has a toehold at last on the ladder of success in her chosen field. She is Mrs. Jean Dolley whose story, "The Amazing McMonigle," was accepted by an Ontario, Canada, publishing company on its first trip out. Saw her letter in my August Writer's Digest and believe she deserves a public pat on the back.

Leave you for another week, while the building problem appears darker with each passing day. Hundreds of carpenters, laborers and other craftsmen have left our region looking for work elsewhere, and stores and resorts are feeling their absence in the daily course of business. Too bad the region couldn't have enjoyed one big booming season after the enforced period of restriction brought about by the war.

Good luck to you veterans, as ever, Swanee.

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SUMMIT SCENE

by FRANCES COUILLARD

We have an intrepid lot of women on this Mountain. Looking at the well dressed, manicured, shiny haired gals at a cocktail party in the evening one would gather that they slumber all day, just awakening in time to shower and put on the glamour for said wing-ding. But we know for a fact that Madelyn Jones Walton painted the outside of her house, trim and all; that she herself wove the materials for a couple of unholstered chairs in her room; that she drives and ex-army truck for her husband, Bud, when the need arises—and withall keeps herself beautifully groomed.

Eleanor Johansen is Kem-Toning her home and she also emerges from her bespattered working clothes to dance a rhumba with her husband at the hot spot of Woods and Nordstrom on the peak of the mountain—not looking and the worse for wear.

Lola and Kirby Schull of Kiski Lodge are building a new kitchen and dining room in their mountain retreat. Knowing Lola we would say that she is in there pitching—for Lola, in the spring of the year plants a garden on the back end of their property which takes a mountain goat to navigate, and comes forth with beautiful produce—even giving some to the neighbors when the crop gets too bountiful. Besides this, Lola somehow or other maintains a cow and chickens—even thru the rigors of the winter—and mothers two boys

who are definitely in the health bracket. When Kirby was in the service, Lola ran Kiski Lodge single handed, cooking for at least 40, waited on them and kept the comfortable. Kiski Lodge became the rendezvous for groups of Waves, Spars, Wacs and service men. We can remember, when the food shortage was acute and Lola had many guests to feed, that she jumped into her truck, tucked the small boys in beside her and rode to Reno in a snow storm to see what she could buy to maintain her lodge. We think Lola deserves the best there is and know that she will get it—if hard work is recompensed.

We have a lady up here who has a weekend cabin—that is she lives in Roseville and spends as much time up here as possible. Her name is Mrs. Bob Allen (Ruby) of the Allen's Drug Store. Not too long ago Ruby went thru a very trying and tragic ordeal, losing her son in an airplane accident. Know what Ruby is doing now? She is managing Camp Pahasi for the Girl Scouts. There are over a hundred guests there right now and the small, lively ones require much care and supervision. Ruby is in there pitching—and we on this Mountain salute her.

Goldie Rowton of Ice Lakes is another. She does the cooking not only for her family but for guests. Rumor hath it that the food is delicious. We have been to Ice Lakes quite often and never have we seen Goldie relax. We know that it takes much hard work in these lodges to keep everything running ship shape and in these days of help scarcity and incompetence the only thing to do is do it yourself. We were at Ice Lakes for a picnic last Sunday—and it is truly a beautiful spot. The youngsters that were with us went boating and swimming—and the large raft serenely in the middle of the beautiful lake is a lure to good swimmers.



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ful lake is a lure to good swimmers.

We talked to Muriel Jones one day about getting a lamb killed and dressed for a barbeque. Said Muriel nonchalantly "I can dress a lamb." We have seen Muriel about the Soda Springs Hotel wearing overalls and pushing a wheelbarrow. The flowers around the hotel were planted by her and yet in the evening Muriel in her well tailored riding togs is never too tired to be a good hostess and have parties. We celebrated two of these last week. One for Bill and Rita Vail—first anniversary. Rita, well known here, used to be employed at the Soda Springs Hotel in the capacity of bookkeeper, hostess and what have you. She married, Bill went east, and when Bill, who was a navy flyer, was discharged they hid themselves back to the mountains they love. There is a new Vail, too, Patrick.

Helen McCarty, a Stocktonite who owns a cabin up here, is not much inclined to the social side of living—and we presume it is because she has a lathe, a jig saw, and other pieces of equipment in her attic out of which she fashions her own furniture. In her spare time last year she assisted her husband, Ray, in building a stone wall around their prop-

erties.

We have Jeanne Reynal up here too, internationally known for her moderne mosaics. Jeanne has a studio with a kiln to complete her beautiful works.

There is Marie Strickland. She and Bill, her husband, recently took over the McClellan Field Ski Lodge. Marie, unfortunately, broke her leg last winter and has had a pretty hard time of it. She dropped in to have coffee with us the other morning. She hopped out of a jeep, fitted her crutches under her arm and came up the stairs. She was driving the jeep herself—broken leg and all. She entertains extensively—practically every weekend and is well known for her hostessing ability—a broken leg was no handicap.

We know Marie Schuster up here, too. Maria was a refugee from Germany during the first part of the war. She had skied all over Europe and when the first shock of her experiences left her she came to the high Sierra to recuperate. Now Maria is a resident—having purchased the Ben and Verna Smith cabin. Maria has completely refurbished the cabin. She tells us laughingly that the red leather divan she has in her "parlor" and the two matching chairs, were purchased in Carmel for \$10 and that the red leather upholstery was accomplished by herself. Another day we found Maria linseeding the outside of her cabin. She is now tiling her bathroom!

We have what is known in the district as the "Mountain disease". It is recognized by a complete lethargy that paralyzes the working faculties. We have seen a number succumb to this dread malady—but taking it all in all, we think the workers are in the majority.

See you next week.

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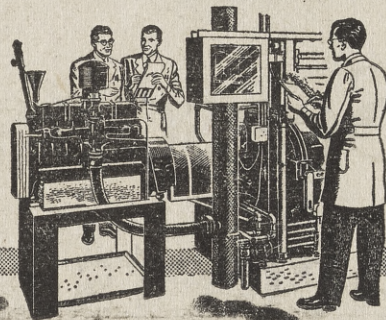
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From Sacramento—
G. Gautsche is visiting his son and daughter in law, Mr. and Mrs. William Gautsche.
At Fontanas—
Mrs. Clair Gilnett of Reno has accepted a position as bookkeeper at Fontana's Laundry.
The California-Oregon border was fixed at 42 degrees by treaty with Spain in 1819.

7th Lightning Fire Found On Mountain Near Here

The seventh lightning fire caused by the storm on July 24 made its appearance to fire lookouts on August 10, just 17 days later. The fire was spotted by Sardine Lookout, burning on top of a mountain south of Euer Valley. The Truckee suppression crew left for the fire at 2:32 PM and arrived at 4:40.
The fire burned a half acre with slight damage. It was controlled in short order, but a spot fire picked up by Martis Peak on Sunday resulted in 12 men being sent to the area just in case the spot became a major fire. Fire Control Assistant Ralph Throop and two men arrived at the scene one hour after the spot was picked up and had it under control in less than five minutes. When the remainder of the men arrived, they completed the mop-up of the original blaze.

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Truckee Pastor Unites Pair at Tahoe Rites

Miss Hazel M. Jester of Los Angeles and Berkeley, a niece of Mrs. E. G. Chandler of Berkeley, was married Sunday, August 11, to Verne A. Snedden, also of Los Angeles. The double ring ceremony was solemnized by Rev. Marvin Quattlebaum, pastor of the Methodist Church of Truckee, in the lakefront summer home of Mrs. Chandler at Lake Tahoe.
The bridal couple, attended by Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Mathes of San Carlos, stood in front of a flower-decked stone fireplace. Twenty relatives and friends of the couple were present.
The bride wore a floor length gown of white chiffon, topped by a finger length veil held in place by an orange blossom coronet. She carried white gladiolus with a drop of bouquet. Her attendant was dressed in a turquoise blue floor length-crepe gown and carried a bouquet of pink Cecil Breuner roses and blue delphinium.
Before the ceremony, a sister of the bridegroom, Miss Jean Snedden of Richmond, sang "At Dawning" and a brother of the bride, Earle L. Jester of Salt Lake City, sang "I Love You Truly."
Guests included the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walter Snedden of Phoenix, Ariz., and family and the bride's three aunts, Mrs. Jennie Lee of Pasadena, Mrs. Anna M. Gayton of Los Angeles and Mrs. Chandler.
After a bridal trip through the Pacific northwest, the couple expect to make their home in the bay area.
There are sufficient bath houses at Jone Beach, Long Island, N. Y., to accommodate for surf bathing more than the entire population of Emporia, Kansas.

Federal Government In Suit Over Little Truckee

Another chapter in the long litigation over water rights of the Truckee River was started this week with a filing of a federal court suit by the United States government against the Sierra Valley Water Company of California.
The government seeks a court order establishing government priority to waters of the Little Truckee River the same as enjoyed to water in the main Truckee.
The suit charges the water concern is diverting water from the Little Truckee to the watershed of the Feather River. It cites a Plumas County superior court decision giving the Sierra Valley Water Company rights to a diversion of 60 second feet but maintains the defendant is diverting more than the amount set in the court order.
The suit charges the defendant built a diversion works with a capacity in excess of 75 second feet and contemplates an even greater enlargement of the diversion capacity.

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